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CODEX COMMITTEE ON FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES



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The Need for Labelling Provisions Specific to Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

CANADA

Canada supports the current generic labelling provisions contained in the Procedural Manual and is of the opinion that there is no requirement to elaborate further provisions for labelling specific to fresh produce.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITY

The European Community considers that the "labelling" part of the Codex standards, such as they are currently written, is satisfactory. If necessary, a larger consistency, on the form, of this part of the Codex standards for fresh fruit and vegetables with on the one hand, Annex I of the circular letter CL 2002/03-ffv, on the other hand the "labelling" part of the UNECE standards, could be sought.